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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:											
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 This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. 											
 The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31). 											
5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))											
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